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 AND LIQUID CRYSTAL )  
 DISPLAY DEVICE USING )  
 THE SAME )  
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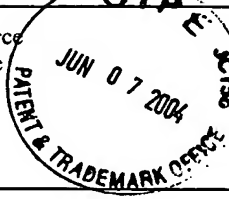
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